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NETHERLAND
BULB CO.

32 Broadway
NEW YORK

Nurseries
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(near Leyden)
Holland

HOW TO ORDER

A careful reading of the following suggestions will greatly reduce all dangers of delays, mistakes or misunderstandings. We are anxious to serve you promptly in the most efficient manner.

PLEASE ORDER EARLY. Send your order as soon as you get this catalog. *We deliver FREE*, either by mail or express, all bulbs at the prices quoted in this booklet.

USE ORDER SHEET and envelope enclosed to insure correct delivery of your order. Always write out our full name and address on envelope, and be sure to **SIGN YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS** to every order or correspondence that may go with the ordersheet. We receive hundreds of orders and letters every year without addresses, and often they contain money. Please help us get the bulbs to you promptly by signing your name and address plainly, also giving Street Number.

SEND CASH WITH ORDER. You run no risk in doing so. Our financial responsibility may be ascertained of any bank. Fifty years of honest dealings stand back of us. Remittances may be made at our risk by either Post Office Money Order, Bank Draft, Express Money Order or Cash by registered mail. Small amounts may be sent in postage stamps, but care should be taken not to have them stick together. We gladly accept your personal check.

Should you decide to make rather extensive plantings of spring flowering bulbs, we shall, with pleasure, have one of our representatives call on you to discuss the matter in detail. Estate plantings are our specialty. Correspondence solicited.

ABOUT COMPLAINTS AND MISTAKES. "To err is human," and mistakes will occur in the best regulated establishments. Our clerks are trained to care-taking and every order is doubly "checked." If, in spite of all precaution, a "slip" occurs, you will find us ready and willing to do the right thing. Above all, **THE CUSTOMER MUST BE SATISFIED**—that is the rule in our establishment.

OUR GUARANTEE. We guarantee every bulb we offer to produce just the kind of a flower which the description will cause you to expect. We also guarantee all bulbs offered to compare favorably in size and potential blooming power with any bulbs of the same varieties available from other sources. If, for any reason whatsoever you are not satisfied with Diamond Brand bulbs upon receipt of shipment, return them and your money will be refunded.

NETHERLAND BULB CO.

32 Broadway, New York City

Greetings *from* *Bulb Land*

FOR half a century we have concentrated our efforts on doing one thing well—the growing of bulbs of unusual character. In doing so, we have been aided in singularly perfect fashion by fertile soil and an ideal climate. Combined with men of ability and methods taught by practical experience, they have helped us to grow bulbs of a quality, the reputation of which soon spread beyond the boundaries of our native land.

During the last two decades it has been our good fortune to see Diamond Brand Bulbs assume the leadership in both quality and quantities produced. To-day we are the largest growers and shippers of high-class hyacinths, tulips, narcissi and other Dutch bulbs. The 400 most fertile acres of our 1,000 acre farm are producing millions of bulbs in hundreds of varieties, the best of which we offer you in the following pages.

Please send us your orders soon. The crop of really high-grade bulbs turned out surprisingly short. We expect to have enough of every kind to go around. Yet, we would regret to be sold out of even one single item, when your order reaches us. Let us help you to the Best in Dutch Bulbs real soon.

Sincerely yours,

NETHERLAND BULB COMPANY
32 Broadway
New York City



Uncle Tom, blackish purple. Exhibition size bulbs, each, 15c.; doz., \$1.20; 100 for \$9.00, postpaid

DIAMOND BRAND HYACINTHS

They will bloom as only bulbs grown by us can bloom. The sorts described in the following pages are noted for their dependability. If you desire others not listed here, write us any way. In this modest booklet we only offer our "treasures"—the choicest and best. If some of your old favorites are not included, rest assured we have them—and of a quality not obtainable elsewhere.

Outdoor Culture.—Plant any time from October to December. They succeed in any good, well-drained garden soil. Set the bulbs so that the crowns will be 3 or 4 inches below the surface and 6 to 10 inches apart. Before very severe weather, cover the beds with straw, leaves or manure for protection. Remove when danger from hard frost is past in the spring.

Pot Culture.—Plant any time from September to December. A light, rich soil is most suitable. Use a 4- or 5-inch pot (or several bulbs may be planted together in larger pots or bulb pans), and have the tops of the bulbs just above the surface. After potting water well and set away in a cool cellar and cover with coal-ashes, or some litter, until thoroughly rooted. During this period be careful that they do not dry out. They may then be brought into the house, keeping them in a very cool, light room until the flower spikes are developed. They may then be placed wherever they are wanted.

Culture in Glasses.—Bulbs should be placed so that their base *merely touches the water*. The glasses should then be set in a cool, dark closet, or in the cellar, until filled with roots, when they may be brought into the light. A piece of charcoal about an inch in diameter, placed in each glass, will keep the water sweet. Give as much fresh air as possible, and keep in a cool room until the spikes are developed. To put them at once into a warm room would cause them to flower prematurely.

Named Miniature Hyacinths

Dutch Roman

Baroness van Thuyll, pure white
 Grandeur a Merveille, blush white
 La Grandesse, pure white, extra
 Baron van Thuyll, rose
 General Pelissier, deep red
 Moreno, rose, earliest of all
 Czar Peter, light lilac blue, extra
 Grand Maître, dark marine blue
 La Peyrouse, light blue

We recommend the above mentioned sorts as best for early forcing. *Price. Any of the above 6 cents each; 50 cents per doz.; \$3.00 per 100.*

Single Hyacinths

Selected Quality Only

We offer *Exhibition Bulbs only* of all the following sorts.

Single Red Hyacinths

	<i>Per doz.</i>	<i>Per 100</i>
Albert Victor, carmine crimson	\$1.50	\$10.00
Countess of Roseberry, brilliant carmine, extra	1.25	9.00



Roman Hyacinths are the easiest of all bulbs to force and can be had in continuous succession of bloom

Hyacinths—Continued

	<i>Per doz.</i>	<i>Per 100</i>
Feu de l'Empire, deep red, one of the darkest and best reds in the trade . . .	\$1.75	\$12.00
Florence Nightingale (Fabiola), salmon-rose and carmine, large spike . . .	1.25	9.00
General Pelissier, brilliant carmine, grand King of the Reds, new brilliant carmine white eye, each 30 cents . . .	1.65	11.00
Leonard, dark rose, fine spike, clean well shaped bulbs, grand variety . . .	2.50	19.00
Lord Macauley, dark rose, changing to crimson carmine with white centre . . .	1.65	11.00
Madame Hudson, rose-carmine . . .	1.50	10.00
Passe Incomparable, deep red, each 25 cents . . .	1.25	9.00
Queen of Hyacinths, brilliant crimson carmine . . .	2.50	18.00
Roi des Belges, bright scarlet, fine truss . . .	1.50	10.00
Schiller, red, very bright . . .	1.65	11.00
Splendens, dark red, fine truss, novelty, each 25 cents . . .	1.75	12.00
Victor Emanuel, red, very bright . . .	2.50	18.00
	2.00	16.00

Single Bulbs of All Kinds, except where noted otherwise, 20 cents each.

Single Rose Hyacinths

	Per doz.	Per 100
Belle Quirine, dark rose striped	\$1.25	\$ 9.00
Cardinal Wiseman, carmine rose, fine full spike	1.25	9.00
Cosmos, rosy pink, large	1.50	10.00
Eldine, delicate rose, grand spike	1.10	8.00
Gigantea, pale rose, large spike	1.25	9.00
King of Roses, Exhibition variety, each 50 cents		
Lady Derby, rose, extra, finest of all, each 20 cents	2.00	16.00
Maria Elizabeth, extra, each 25 cents		
Moronao, bright pink, large bells, extra	1.25	9.00
Ornament-Rose, extra, very fine truss	1.10	8.00
Princess Alexandra, carmine rose	1.50	10.00
Queen of Beauties, pale rose striped	1.50	10.00
Rose Pompon, bright rose, grand flower, with a beautiful clean and large bulb, excellent variety for shop sale	1.75	12.00
Sarah Bernhardt, bright rose, grand truss	1.25	9.00
Sultane Favorite, rose, striped red	1.25	9.00

Single Purple and Violet Hyacinths

Arnold Prince, dark purple	1.25	9.00
Distinction, maroon, new fine spike	1.75	12.00
Kossuth, deep violet, grand bedding variety	1.65	11.00
La Beauté, purple, white eye, extra	1.50	10.00
L'Esperance, purple, extra mauve	1.50	10.00
Lord Hartington (Sir William Mansfield) purplish mauve	1.25	9.00
Mongol, brilliant violet, extra	1.75	12.00
Passe Havelock, purplish violet, each 20 cents	1.85	14.00
President Lincoln, purplish mauve, extra fine spike	1.10	8.00
Sir Edwin Landseer, dark magenta	1.10	8.00

Single Bulbs of Above Kinds, except where noted otherwise, 15 cents each.



Exhibition size (Hyacinth) 4.5 natural size

Bulbs like these will bear 2 and 3 strong flower spikes.

Single White Hyacinths

	Per doz.	Per 100
Albertine or Augusta, very early, extra	\$1.50	\$10.00
Arentina Arendse, splendid pure white flower, large truss, fine bells, each 25 cents	2.50	18.00
Avalanche, pure white, each 25 cents		
Baroness van Thuyll, pure white, fine spike	1.25	9.00
Blancheur à Merveille, pure white	1.25	9.00
British Queen, pure white (Exhibition variety)	1.50	10.00
Ethusa, pure white, early	1.25	9.00
Grandesse, pure white, grand spike	1.75	12.00
Lady Clinton, pure white	1.25	9.00
L'Immaculee, very early, splendid truss, pure white, each 20 cents	1.75	12.00
Monsieur van der Hoop, pure white, each 20 cents		
Pearl Queen, pure white, extra (Exhibition variety), each 40 cents		

Single Blush White Hyacinths

Cleopatra, blushed white	1.25	9.00
Grande Blanche, blushed white Regulus	1.25	9.00
Jumbo, blushed white, large flower, splen- did bulbs and flowers	1.50	10.00
Leviathan, waxy, white, grand spike	1.30	9.50
Madame van der Hoop, pure white, very fine spike	1.25	9.00

*Single Bulbs of Above Kinds, except where noted otherwise,
15 cents each.*



Grandesse Hyacinths

Mr. Plimsol, blushed white, grand spike, extra	Per doz. \$1.25	Per 100 \$ 9.00
President Garfield, waxy white, fine truss	1.50	10.00
Semiramis, creamy white	1.25	9.00
Triumph Blandina, blush white	1.25	9.00
Voltaire, waxy white, fine	1.10	8.00

Single Yellow and Orange Hyacinths

Alexander of Orange, bright orange	1.25	9.00
Bird of Paradise, fine dark yellow, splen- did spike	1.25	9.00
Heroine, primrose, fine spike	1.25	9.00
King of the Yellows, fine deep yellow, grand spike	1.25	9.00
Norma, orange yellow	1.50	10.00
Queen of Salmons, bright dwarf salmon, extra	1.50	10.00
Queen of Yellows, bright yellow, extra, each 20 cents		

Single Blue and Dark Blue Hyacinths

Admiral Courbett, clear blue, large truss and very fine bulb	1.10	8.00
Auricula's Eye, dark blue, with white eye	1.10	8.00
Fürst Bismarck, splendid novelty, the flowers are very large, color is lighter than that of a Grand Maître, may be forced for Christmas	1.50	10.00
Grand Maître, deep porcelain blue, very grand spike	1.10	8.00
King of the Black, purplish black, grand spike, each 20 cents	2.00	16.00
Marie, dark blue, tinged purple	1.50	10.00
Masterpiece, dark blue, tinged purple	1.50	10.00
Regulus, clear blue	1.65	11.00
The Sultan, brilliant black, extra large and broad spike	1.25	9.00
Uncle Tom, blackish purple	1.50	10.00

Single Light and Porcelain Blue

Admiral de Ruyter, porcelain blue, grand spike	1.25	9.00
Enchantress, light blue, extra, each 20 cents	1.75	12.00
Johan, a most beautiful light blue Hya- cinth	1.65	11.00
Lord Salisbury, porcelain blue, extra	1.65	11.00
Nimrod, clear blue	1.00	7.00
Queen of the Blues, fine deep sky-blue, large spike	1.25	9.00
Voltaire, delicate porcelain, tinged white	1.50	10.00

Double Hyacinths

Blush Perfection, fine rose, each 30 cents		
Czar Nicholas, blushed rose	1.25	9.00
Diebitsch Balkansky, very large truss	1.25	9.00
Duke of Albany, pink, very fine, extra, each 20 cents	1.85	14.00
Grootvorst, rose salmon, dark centre, large truss	1.10	8.00
Koh-i-Noor, rose salmon, grand spike	1.50	10.00
Lord Wellington, blush rose, fine spike	1.50	10.00
Milton, dark red, large flower	1.10	8.00
President Roosevelt, dark red, fine bulbs	1.25	9.00
Prince d'Orange, blush rose, fine spike	1.10	8.00
Venus de Medicis, lovely rose, large and fine bells	1.25	9.00

Single Bulbs of Above Kinds, except where noted otherwise, 15 cents each.

Double White and Blushed White Hyacinths

	Per doz.	Per 100
Bouquet Royal, pure white	\$1.50	\$10.00
Duchess de Bedford, creamy white	1.25	9.00
Edison, splendid novelty, each 20 cents	1.75	13.00
Isabelle, waxy white, grand spike	1.50	10.00
Prince of Waterloo, pure white	1.25	9.00
Venus, white, yellow centre	1.25	9.00

Double Yellow and Orange Hyacinths

Goethe, pale, dull yellow, extra fine truss	1.25	9.00
La Beauté, extra, large spike	1.25	9.00
Sovereign, golden yellow	1.25	9.00

Double Blue, Purplish Blue and Black Hyacinths

Bloksberg, light blue	1.25	9.00
Charles Dickens, dark lilac blue	1.50	10.00
Garrick, light blue	1.50	10.00
Lord Nelson, porcelain tinged, early	1.65	11.00
Magnificent, light blue, grand truss	2.75	19.00
Othello, black	1.25	9.00
Grootvorst, light reddish violet, large truss	1.75	12.00
L'Enfant, de France, purple tinged, reddish violet	1.75	12.00

Single Bulbs of Above Kinds, except where noted otherwise, 15 cents each.

DIAMOND BRAND TULIPS

No one disputes our leadership in the production of high-class Tulip Bulbs. Though we grow them *by the million* (5 million Darwins alone annually) we do not grow too many to give the most exacting care to their breeding, cultivation, curing and handling. The following varieties are the latest and best among our distinct sorts. No matter what kind of tulip you wish or how many you need, we can fill and will welcome your order.

The effects which tulips produce with their varied and brilliant colorings cannot be produced by any other flower during the early Spring. They make a most gorgeous display in flower beds before the time for plant-





ing the regular Summer flowers, and produce a beautiful effect among shrubbery and perennial beds if planted in groups or clumps or used as borders. For forcing in the house in Winter, Tulips will make splendid pot plants. The same general directions for cultivation in pots may be used as for Hyacinths (see page 3).

Single Early Tulips

Duc van Tholl Varieties

	<i>Per doz.</i>	<i>Per 100</i>
Duc van Tholl, maximus red and yellow (true)	\$.50	\$ 2.80
Duc van Tholl, purple (true) . . . . .	.40	2.40
Duc van Tholl, scarlet . . . . .	.25	1.75

Single Named Tulips

Crimson King, scarlet . . . . .	.45	2.60
Etoile Brilliant, dazzling scarlet, large and very fine flower . . . . .	.50	2.75
Grace Darling, orange scarlet, extra fine	1.00	6.00
Albion (white Hawk or Falcon), pure white, extra . . . . .	.50	3.00
Arms of Leiden, rose white, very distinct . . . . .	.35	2.25
Pink Beauty, extra fine large flower, new . . . . .	.75	5.00
Mon Tresor, the best yellow tulip for early forcing, no other yellow equals it, it never fails . . . . .	.55	3.25
Grand Duc (Keizerskroon), brilliant red, deeply edged yellow . . . . .	.40	2.50
Leonardi da Vinci, orange . . . . .	.60	4.00
President Lincoln (Queen of Violets), clear magenta . . . . .	.50	3.00



Single Early Tulips—Continued

	Per doz.	Per 100
Karl de Moor, yellow tinged orange . . .	\$.40	\$ 2.40
Golden Eagle, pure yellow . . . . .	.25	1.60
Royal Standard, red and silver edging . .	.40	2.40
Pottebakker White, pure white, very large	.30	2.00
Joost van den Vondel, carmine bordered white . . . . .	.30	2.00
Proserpine, cherry rose . . . . .	.50	2.75

Double Early Tulips

Imperator Rubrorum, scarlet . . . . .	.50	3.00
Prince of Wales, scarlet purple, white centre . . . . .	.60	4.00
Alba Maxima, pure white . . . . .	.35	2.25
Couronne des Roses, pink . . . . .	.60	4.00
Grand Vainqueur, creamy white . . . . .	.30	2.00
Couronne d'Or, deep yellow, extra . . .	.50	3.00
La Citadelle, brownish red and yellow . .	.40	2.50
Murillo, salmon rose . . . . .	.30	2.00
La Candeur, pure white . . . . .	.30	2.00
Velvet Gem, dark violet brown . . . . .	.40	2.50
Mixed from early varieties, extra selected	.25	1.75

Double Late Tulips

Blue Flag (Bleue Celeste) Violet-blue . .	.60	4.00
Couronne Imperiale, carmine-violet . . .	.50	3.00
Mariage de ma Fille, carmine, feathered white . . . . .	.60	3.50
Overwinnaar, red, white striped . . . . .	.50	3.00
Paeonie Gold, red and yellow . . . . .	.45	2.75

Single Late Tulips

Couronne Tardive, red and yellow . . . .	.30	2.00
Dainty Maid, rosy lilac, feathered white	.60	4.00
Golden Crown, yellow, feathered red . . .	.30	2.00

Darwin
Tulips

	<i>Per doz.</i>	<i>Per 100</i>
Isabella (Shandon Bells, Blushing Bride,) red and white	\$.40	\$ 2.50
La Candeur (Parisienne alba), white changing to rose . . . . .	.45	2.75
Mrs. Moon. Elegans Maxima lutea, one of the finest Parisian boulevard tulips, orange yellow, very charming flower, each 10 cents	1.00	7.00
Maiden's Blush, rose white, very fine for late forcing, highly recommended . . . . .	.30	2.00
Vitellina, large, light yellow, extra . . . . .	.50	3.00

Breeders

Amazone, light violet . . . . .	.30	2.00
Cardinal Manning, violet extra . . . . .	.50	3.00
Goliath, terracotta and violet . . . . .	.55	3.50
Prince of Orange, orange red, light bordered . . . . .	.70	5.00

Darwin Late Tulips

Adele Sandrock, salmon rose, sweet scented . . . . .	.60	4.00
Andre Doria, (first class Certificate, Amsterdam) . . . . .	.50	3.25
Apelles, delicate lilas . . . . .	.30	2.00
Arentine Arendsen (May Queen), bright rose (Certificate of merit R. B. S. Award of merit R. H. S. May, 1903), each 10c.	1.00	7.00
Baronne de la Tonnaye, vivid rose, one of the finest . . . . .	.60	4.00
Blushing Bride, rose, lilas and white . . . . .	.40	2.50
Clara Butt, bright rose, extra fine . . . . .	.40	2.50
Descartes, dark red . . . . .	.40	2.50
Dream, (Reve de jeunesse), large lilas, extra . . . . .	.55	3.50
Europe, fine scarlet red, extra (highly recommended Chiswick, 1900) . . . . .	.55	3.50
Glory, bright scarlet . . . . .	.55	3.50
Gretchen (Margaret, Marguerite), soft salmon rose (Revue horticole, 1898). Award of merit Amsterdam . . . . .	.30	2.00
Kate Greenaway, white with lilas, spotted, very late (Gartenflower, 1894). (Award of merit, Amsterdam.) . . . . .	.50	3.00



Spring-flowering Crocus in pot (see page 12)



Victoria (bicolor). One of the best all around newcomers

La tulipe noire, the true black tulip, flower very large extra, each 35 cents . . .	Per doz. \$3.50	Per 100 \$20.00
Loveliness, bright glowing satiny-rose, margined blush . . . . .	.45	2.90
Mr. Farncombe Sanders, bright scarlet . . .	.55	3.50
Orion, bright red, tremendous flower . . .	.40	2.50
Pride of Haarlem, tremendous flower; color as near as possible to that of the S. E. T. Proserpine . . . . .	.35	2.20
Rev. H. Ewbank, light heliotrope color . . .	.50	3.00
Zulu King, dark brown . . . . .	.50	3.00

Parrot Tulips

Cramoisi Brillant, true . . . . .	.30	1.90
The best and most attractive of all Parrot tulips, color beautiful crimson with black centre. All Parrot tulips can be forced with but little heat, so that they may be in bloom by the beginning of February.		
Perfecta, yellow and red striped . . . . .	.30	1.90
Markgraaf, red and yellow . . . . .	.30	1.90

Botanical Tulips

Mauriana, clear scarlet, yellow base, extra fine . . . . .	.30	1.90
Sylvestris (Florentine Odorata) yellow . . .	.30	2.00

SPRING-FLOWERING CROCUS

Choice Named Varieties

Caroline Chisholm, pure white . . . . .	.30	2.00
Queen Victoria, (true) pure white . . . . .	.30	2.00
Baron von Brunow, purplish blue . . . . .	.20	1.20
David Rizzio, dark purple . . . . .	.20	1.20
Purpurea Grandiflora, dark purple, extra . . .	.20	1.20
Von Moltke, purple, extra . . . . .	.20	1.20
Albion, violet striped . . . . .	.20	1.20
Sir Walter Scott, violet striped . . . . .	.20	1.20
Cloth of Gold, yellow and black . . . . .	.20	1.20
Yellow, largest Top Roots . . . . .	.20	1.10



Golden Spur (see page 14)

DAFFODILS OR NARCISSI

We try to play no favorites among our flowers and bulbs. And yet, in our dealings with bulbs as merchandise, we are often reluctant to treat the floral beauty of the Daffodils as a commercial proposition. If Diamond Brand Hyacinths are our pride and Tulips represent the glory of our farms, Daffodils hold our affection in a stronger degree than any other flowering bulbs.

Because we love them, we treat them right, grow them well and nurse them to perfect maturity.

All the varieties of Narcissi or Daffodils we offer are perfectly hardy, and will continue to flower outdoors each year if given a congenial location and not disturbed. Where they are used for bedding, and must be lifted, it is wise to permit bulbs to remain after flowering until the foliage turns brown down to the ground, then lifted, and the earth shaken from the bulbs; they should be stored in a cool, dry place. Narcissi, like hyacinths, should be planted by early November, and should not be allowed to remain out of the ground so long as tulips, which may be planted up to hard frost.



Poeticus Ornatus

Culture.—Owing to the various sizes of the bulbs, it is not advisable to state the exact depth to plant, but the simple rule of covering the bulb one and a half times its own depth, and making the distance between the bulbs three to four inches for the smaller sorts and five to six inches for the larger ones, is a good one. For greenhouse or window-garden culture treat them the same as hyacinths, except that three or more bulbs of one variety should be planted in a pot, and not single specimens.



Poeticus Daffodil King Edward

Daffodils

	<i>Per doz.</i>	<i>Per 100</i>
Abscissus (muticus) pale yellow	\$.30	\$ 2.00
Countess of Annesley, creamy yellow, extra . . . . .	.50	3.00
Emperor, very large flower . . . . .	.50	3.00
Glory of Leiden, grand trumpet	1.50	10.00
Golden Spur, best of all narcissus, extra strong forcing bulbs. We guarantee these bulbs to produce no less than two flowers each, but it is by no means seldom that our bulbs of this size produce four or five flowers . . . . .	.40	2.50
Henry Irving, very fine . . . . .	.35	2.25
Maximus, deep golden yellow, finest of all . . . . .	.25	1.40
M. J. Berkeley, yellow trumpet, deep color, like maximus . . . . .	.50	3.00
Rugilosus, sulphury yellow . . . . .	.50	3.00
Dean Herbert . . . . .	.55	3.40
Empress, very large flower . . . . .	.50	3.00
Grandee (late), fine cutflower . . . . .	.40	2.50
Horsfieldi, extra for forcing . . . . .	.30	2.00
Madame Plempe., pure white petals, golden trumpet . . . . .	.70	5.00
Princeps, best for market forcing. Extra selected . . . . .	.25	1.60

Ajax Trumpet Sulphur White

Albicans, very early . . . . .	.30	2.00
Grace Darling, grand flower, each 20 cents	2.00	14.00
L'Innocence, pure white, extra, each 25 cents	2.25	16.00
Mrs. Thomson, pure white, very fine . . . . .	.50	3.00
Princess Ida, each 15 cents	1.25	8.00
William Goldring, very fine, one of the best white narcissus . . . . .	.35	2.25

Daffodils—Continued

Incomparabilis

	<i>Per doz.</i>	<i>Per 100</i>
Beauty, sulphur perianth, margined orange scarlet	\$.60	\$ 4.00
C. J. Backhouse, sulphur yellow petals, very large scarlet cup . . . . .	.60	4.00
King of Netherlands, Beautiful Incomparable . . . . .	.60	4.00
Lucifer, petals white, bright scarlet cup, extra fine, each 50 cents	6.00	40.00
Sir Watkins, largest and finest of all Incomparabilis, extra fine for forcing . . . . .	.35	2.25

Barri

Conspicuous, yellow petals, very fine scarlet cup, extra for early forcing . . . . .	.25	1.60
Maurice Vilmorin, white perianth, with long scarlet extra, each 10 cents	1.00	8.00
Mrs. C. Bowley, perianth white, deep scarlet cup . . . . .	.95	7.00

Leedsii Daffodils

Amabilis, white perianth, sulphur cup . . . . .	.25	1.60
Bridesmaid, perianth pure white, cup slightly margined pale primrose, beautiful flower, each 25 cents	2.50	17.50
Duchess of Brabant . . . . .	.25	1.60
Lord Palmerston, white spreading perianth, canary cup, sweet scented . . . . .	.50	2.90
Mrs. Langtree, pure white, extra for forcing . . . . .	.25	1.60

Poeticus Daffodils

Grandiflorus, grows two feet high . . . . .	.50	3.00
King Edward or Almira, earliest of all Poeticus, very large flower . . . . .	.70	4.80
Verus of Haworth, late . . . . .	.60	3.50
Ornatus, first size, extra strong for forcing . . . . .	.20	1.20

Narcissus Poetaz

Elvira, broad white petals, of great substance and golden yellow cup, edged orange, height twenty-four inches . . . . .	.70	5.00
Louise, carries generally from four to five flowers on a stem, broad white perianth and golden cup, prettily fluted, height twenty-one inches, each 15 cents	1.25	8.00

Double Narcissus

Alba pleno odorata (Double Poeticus) . . . . .	.20	1.20
Orange Phoenix, white and orange . . . . .	.40	2.50
Sulphur Phoenix, pure white, extra . . . . .	.40	2.50
Tellamonius fl. pl. (Von Sion), extra selected . . . . .	.50	3.00

Garden Narcissus

Grand Monarque, white and yellow . . . . .	.30	2.00
Soleil d'Or, yellow (true) . . . . .	.50	3.00
Her Majesty, white and dark yellow, very fine . . . . .	.50	3.00
White Pearl (true), white, extra fine . . . . .	.40	2.40



DIAMOND BRAND GLADIOLUS

One of our leading specialties, grown on our own farms by the millions. The same care which has made Diamond Brand Tulips, Hyacinths, etc., world famous, is exercised in the growing of our Gladiolus. Here are a few of the choicest and best:

Gladiolus Gandavensis

Red and Rose Varieties

	<i>Per doz.</i>	<i>Per 100</i>
America, lilac rose, large flower	\$.25	\$ 1.50
Empress of India, purple red, rosy lilac ground, magnificent flower . . . . .	.65	4.00
Halley, soft rose, very early . . . . .	.25	1.75
Mrs. Francis King, flame pink, magnificent variety . . . . .	.30	1.90
Panama, deep pink, first class certificates, each 15 cents	1.25	8.00
Pink Perfection, finest pink color, first class certificates, each 25 cents	2.50	17.00
Red Emperor, grand red, first class certificates, each 80 cents.		
Willy Wigman, finest rose, red spotted . . . . .	.65	4.00

White Varieties

Duchess of Wellington, large rich white flower, each \$1.00	10.00	
Europe, pure white	2.75	20.00
Glory of Holland, white, very strong grower, our specialty, 15 cents each	1.25	7.00

Gladiolus—Continued

	<i>Per doz.</i>	<i>Per 100</i>
Loveliness, very large cream white, first class certificate, very strong grower, each 45 cents	\$4.50	\$30.00
Lily Lehmann, very large white flowers, with beautiful light rose shade, very strong grower, our specialty; each 10 cents	1.00	6.00
Peace, white with lilac shade, each 15 cents	1.50	8.00
White Excelsior, white, strong grower, each 30 cents	2.50	14.00
Badenia, splendid blue, large bloom, each 90 cents	8.00	
Baron Jos. Hulot, violet, blue, splendid color, very strong grower . . . . .	.40	2.50

Why not treat yourself to a few dozen of these choice kinds? Or, if you are just beginning to take an interest in these beautiful flowers, our Dollar Collection, offered below may prove attractive.

**SPECIAL GLADIOLUS
COLLECTION**

**50 Bulbs in Choicest Mixture
\$1.00, Postpaid**

For the beginner, or, to start a friend with these beautiful and fascinating favorites, this trial collection will prove ideal. Why not make some friends Christmas presents of this collection? Six will be mailed for \$5.00, to different addresses if desired, and we guarantee safe arrival and satisfaction or your money will be refunded.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Soon after January 1st we shall publish a complete and practical guide to all that is best in spring flowering bulbs, especially Gladiolus. If you have friends in search of better bulbs, send us their names. We will appreciate such courtesy, by adding a few choice bulbs free of charge to your bulb order.

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